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- 1. (X) This replies to the Office Letter dated May 14, 2002.
 - [X] A copy of the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures is enclosed.

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ITEMS BEING SUBMITTED

3.	Submi							
	A. [X] "Sequence Listing(s)" for the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence(s) in this application. Each "Sequence Listing" is assigned a separate identifier as required in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.821(c) and 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.822 and 1.823.							
	В. ()	B. [] An amendment to the description and/or claims, wherein reference is made to the sequence be use of the assigned identifier, as required in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.821(d).						
	C. [X] A copy of each "Sequence Listing" submitted for this application in computer readable form accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.821(e) and 1.824.							
	D. []	,	ase transfer to this application, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.821(e) readable copy(ies) from applicant's other application identified as follows:	, the compu	tei			
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	E. (X)		statement that the content of each "Sequence Listing" submitted and e dable copy are the same, as required in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.821(g).	ach compu	ter			
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- F. [X] Because this submission is made in fulfilling the requirement under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.821(g), a statement that the submission includes no new matter.
 - [] Because the statement is not made by a person registered to practice before the Office, the statement is verified, as required in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.821(g).

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- 4. I hereby state:
 - A. [X] Each computer readable form submitted in this application, including those forms requested to be transferred from applicant's other application, is the same as the "Sequence Listing" to which it is indicated to relate.
 - B. [X] All papers accompanying this submission, or for which a request for transfer from applicants' other application, introduce no new matter.

EXTENSION OF TERM

5.	The proceedings	s herein are for a	a patent application	and the provisio	ns of 37 (C.F.R. Section	1.136 apply.
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(a) [] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

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() two months	\$ 390.00		\$ 195.00
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(b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file the items indicated below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of
the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as
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substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content
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